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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA ROANOKE DIVISION

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ROBERT EARLE RAMBO, Petitioner,)	Civil Action No. 7:12-cv-00034	
,)		
v.)	<u>ORDER</u>	
)		
DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF)	By:	Hon. Jackson L. Kiser
CORRECTIONS,)		Senior United States District Judge
Respondent.)		

In accordance with the written Memorandum Opinion entered this day, it is hereby

ORDERED

that respondent's motion to dismiss is **GRANTED**; petitioner's petition for a writ of habeas corpus, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, is **DISMISSED**; petitioner's motion for an evidentiary hearing is **DENIED** as **moot**; a certificate of appealability is **DENIED**; and the action is **STRICKEN** from the active docket of the court.

The Clerk is directed to send a copy of this Order and the accompanying Memorandum Opinion to petitioner and counsel of record for respondent.

ENTER: This _____ day of May, 2012.

Senjor United States District Judge